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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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Confirmation No.: 8328

Examiner: Sameh TAWFIK

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For: CAPPING HEAD FOR THE APPLICATION IN VACUUM CONDITIONS OF CAPS ON BOTTLES OR CONTAINERS IN GENERAL, A CAPPING MACHINE COMPRISING SAID HEAD, AND A METHOD FOR THE APPLICATION OF CAPS THAT CAN BE APPLIED BY MEANS OF SAID MACHINE

ELECTION RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 4, 2005, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, the invention of Group I, containing Claims 1-7 drawn to a capping head for application of caps on bottles.

An early and favorable Action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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